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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Applicant:	Drinan et al.
Application Number:	10/068,170
Filing Date:	February 4, 2002
Title:	AGENT DELIVERY AND ASPIRATION DEVICE
Examiner Name:	A. R. Flynn
Group Art Unit:	3743

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Dear Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the final Office Action dated January 13, 2004. A Notice of Appeal was filed on April 13, 2004. Thus, the due date for response with a 3-month extension of time is September 13, 2004.

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